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Title of Invention: Delivery Management Method and Device, and Delivery Information Service

Method

Claims

Claim 1

A method for managing delivery of products that have been ordered, wherein:

an application for delivery of said product is accepted from a provider of said product;

an application ID is assigned to said application;

the delivery recipient of said product is notified of said application ID and is prompted to designate delivery terms;

said delivery recipient is presented with a list of products scheduled to be delivered to said delivery recipient and said application IDs therefor;

designation of delivery terms for the application specified by said application ID is accepted from said delivery recipient after order of said product; and

request for delivery is made by notifying a predetermined delivery business of the products corresponding to application IDs for which the same delivery terms have been designated, of the designated delivery terms, and of the delivery recipient.

Claim 2

The delivery management method according to claim 1, wherein, when first delivery terms have been designated for a first product scheduled to be delivered to said delivery recipient, and prior to delivery of said first product, a delivery application is accepted for another, second product, the same delivery terms that were set for said first product are set for said second product.

Claim 3